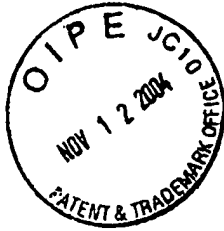


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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

Sir:

Applicants having received a Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due mailed
September 29, 2004, respectfully request the Examiner to amend the above-identified application
as follows: